

As a licensed amateur and radiotelephone operator, I am deeply concerned about the proposed BPL, Docket-04-37. Over the past 25 years I have witnessed first hand, an increase in power line noise, which makes HF listening in urban areas extremely difficult, if not impossible. There would be no problem with BPL in areas of underground utilities. My main concern is the inevitable radiation from overhead power lines. Also, I have not read anything regarding filtering of emissions in residences not using BPL. Therefore I respectfully submit that, any leakage of BPL signals into the radio spectrum is unacceptable and BPL should not be allowed.